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CORONATION BRILLIANTLY MARKED

Party Action Forseen By Temperance Forces

Would Have Dry Program
Rooted In Every
Municipality
ASK AID OF CHURCHES

Forseeing need for prompt action in event of political party activity in the near future, the North York Temperance Federation is preparing its organization to face a crisis. The Era learned in an interview with Rev. Byron Snell, of Aurora, assistant president, recently.

An effort is being made to get the program of the federation rooted in every municipality. Material is on hand to assist in oration contests, readings, public meetings, and other types of temperance programs.

Townships are to be organized by having a mass meeting from say, two representatives of each congregation, Sunday-school, Y. P. S., W. M. S., Ladies' Aids, Women's Institutes, Farmers' Clubs, or other organizations in sympathy with the work. Each church is asked to have a temperance committee to look after

RECEIVE NEW MEMBERS

There will be a special service on Sunday at Trinity United church for communion and the reception of new members.

MISS HUNTLEY ACQUITTED

Charged with manslaughter following the death of a 14-year-old Newtonbrook child in a motor accident, Miss Elsie Huntley of Queensville was acquitted in York county police court on Tuesday.

temperance work in the congregation. Every minister in the area who is in sympathy with the work is a member of the executive.

The county executive is: honorary presidents, J. M. Walton, Aurora, and Dr. S. J. Boyd, Newmarket; president, Dr. J. P. Wilson, Richmond Hill; assistant president, Rev. B. Snell, Aurora; vice-president, I. N. Morison, Newmarket; secretary-treasurer, Page 5, col. 6

Changed Society By Home Contacts Seen By Speaker

Tattling Spreads To Community From Home
Group Told

"Few of us have the power to sway crowds of Canadian voters as has Agnes McPhail, or Nellie McClung with her rare gift as an author, or as Claire Wallace with her fluency as a radio commentator," Mrs. Ross Armitage told the Willing Workers of Pine Orchard church at the home of Mrs. James Hope on Wednesday of last week. "Yet all of us," she continued, "in our own homes are the centres of little worlds, whose spirit and problems are a miniature of the world without."

"Our influence affects brothers, sisters, parents, children, relatives, friends, hired help and tradespeople, for good or evil. If the spirit of each home was Christian—the influence radiating from it would be a tremendous power for good in the world. "Christian contacts in home life could revolutionize society to such an extent that men would hate war and the material gain derived from it," Mrs. Armitage stated.

"We teach our children that the marriage bond is sacred and not to be taken lightly," she asked. "Do we impress on them

SCARECROW CREEPS ABOUT

The Young People of Trinity United church put on their play, "The Scarecrow Creeps," at St. Paul's United church, Brampton, last Thursday evening, under the sponsorship of the Women's Auxiliary of that church. Rev. T. W. F. G. Andrews, formerly of Trinity church here, is the minister of the Brampton church. Following the play a light lunch was served.

Last Wednesday they had the play at Sharon and a week previously the Belhaven congregation had an opportunity to see this excellent play. On Friday the group go to Zephyr.

that the setting-up of a new home contact is our strongest force for good or evil? The Christian's outlook on life is first formed by the contacts in the home. Their future is moulded by these influences.

"The very thoughts we think are reflected in the lives of our children. Therefore we should consider the type of conversation that is most indulged in. Is it of a type that is uplifting and constructive, or

Won't Sell Other Parts Of Right Of Way, Get \$1,000

Mile Of Right-of-Way To Be Sold For Riding Field

Sale of part of the former T. C. right-of-way in the neighborhood of Roche's Point, as proposed, does not mean that other portions will be sold by North Gwillimbury township council. The Era was told this week.

The question comes before the township council on June 7 and the council will pass a by-law authorizing the sale unless some ratepayer can convince the council that the sale should not be made.

The land in question runs parallel to the highway, between the base line and Varney Rd., and has no possibilities at all as a second highway, in the opinion of members of the township council. The land to be sold is a strip about a mile in length and is wanted by nearby residents as a community riding-ground. The price offered is \$1,000.

The land could not be sold without the consent of the property-owners on whose holdings it abuts, and these are the residents who wish to purchase it.

HIP Committee Share Building Picture Meeting Friday Night

A Home Improvement Plan representative will speak at the talk show, sponsored by W. H. Eves, in co-operation with John-Manville, to be given in the R. S. A. Bugle band hall on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be jointly sponsored by the local Home Improvement Plan committee.

If you are thinking about re-modelling your house, don't fail to see "The House That Ann Built," a romantic drama of home building.

This unusual talking picture is said to be the first to combine the glamor of the cinema with the romance of home building and to use the silver screen as a means of showing the public



THEIR MAJESTIES KING GEORGE VI AND QUEEN ELIZABETH

KING ANOINTED TO SERVE GOD PASTOR TELLS

Crown Jewels' Significance Explained By Rev. J. H. Wells

MUSIC BY JUNIOR CHOIR

Addressed particularly to the boys and girls, Rev. J. H. Wells' Sunday morning sermon at Trinity United church was on the crown jewels.

"To some of you boys and girls coronation is just another holiday from school," Mr. Wells said. "The coronation is really a very wonderful event."

"The crown jewels consist of 26 different articles. All of them are very, very beautiful, and very valuable. They are called the regalia. There are crowns, sceptres, orb, and a cross."

"We all know that it is the Archbishop of Canterbury of the Anglican church, head of the established church in the old land, who has the great part in the ceremony. Some of the crown jewels are in the ampulla, which is in the form of an eagle. The holy oil is poured into a spoon. The archbishop will dip his fingers into the oil and anoint the king. This part of the ceremony is intended to be specially holy. Only him who is anointed by Jehovah or Jehovah's servant is fit to be king. The holy oil signifies the holy spirit."

"The sceptre signifies the holy sceptre. The king has a sceptre. The queen has one. At the top is a cross. The cross, as all boys and girls know, is a very beautiful symbol. Christ died on the cross. He ruled with a cross. There is a dove on the king's sceptre. That indicates that he can't rule without the spirit of God."

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Church To Be Restored At Landing, 95 Years Service

Money Still Needed To Carry Through Rebuilding Plans

Ninety-five years in the service of God, weather-beaten and battered, the Holland Landing United church is to be restored. A committee has already raised promises of \$1,100 of the \$2,000 needed to carry out the work of renovation this summer.

The church was formerly Methodist. Services have been held there uninterruptedly for 95 years. Rev. Harold Vaughan of Bradford is the minister.

Renovation will include a new basement, a new furnace, new entrance, re-decoration, stuccoing, almost rebuilding. The work will take from two to three months.

Former residents of the Landing and many friends in

LIBERAL - CONSERVATIVES MEET IN TOWN HALL

There will be a Liberal-Conservative convention in the town hall, Newmarket, on Saturday, May 22. At 2.30 p.m., D.S.T., there will be election of officers and transaction of business. At 3.30 p.m., D.S.T., there will be a public meeting addressed by prominent speakers.

Newmarket are being asked to help. The church committee has already received considerable encouragement. Davis Leather Co. has given \$300. Wm. Pitchford has given \$100. W. H. Eves has given a new door and frame. Wm. French, Yonge St., has given all joists and stringers. Other people are giving labor.

The church is indebted to Page 8, col. 5

H. Babb Voices Criticism Of Sale Of Right Of Way

Suggests Route Be Used To Relieve Lake Shore Road

When the North Gwillimbury council meets on June 7 to consider the sale of part of the former Transportation Commission right of way, there is one man at least who will have something to say about it, The Era learned on Friday.

"I believe the sale of this part of the right of way would be a most foolhardy and unbusinesslike piece of business," Harry Babb, keenly interested in developments along the lake shore, told The Era.

MISS ANNIE KING TELLS OF TRAVELS

The Cherokee club will meet Friday evening, at 8.15 p.m., at the home of Mrs. J. E. Nesbitt, Main St. Miss Annie King will give a travelogue.

"The sale of this part would be just the thin edge of the wedge to open up the sale of other portions and would finally close up the right of way," he said. "The council is under no expense in connection with this part. I doubt if they have spent \$20 on told The Era.

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"Abdication, 1937 Coronation Will Interest Future More Than 1066"

Town Gaily Decorated For Coronation Parade and Service

AUBREY DAVIS SPEAKS

An impressive parade and a beautiful service at Memorial Park marked observation here yesterday of the coronation of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth. Following the service here in the morning, many citizens, the R. S. A. Bugle band, local floats, and town officials took part in a county celebration at Aurora.

Delivering the principal address at the Newmarket service at the memorial, Aubrey Davis, president of the Davis Leather Co., told the coronation story from the days of the Druids. One of the interesting incidents related by Mr. Davis concerned the coronation of William the Conqueror.

"The coronation took place almost immediately after the Normans had overthrown the Saxons," Mr. Davis said. "Great misgivings existed among the military advisers of William. They were afraid of trouble. The Archbishop of Canterbury had refused to participate. He said he would not help to crown an invader whose hands were stained with Saxon blood. So the abbey was filled with picked Norman troops. The Saxons were outside."

"The Saxon ceremony was followed. The custom was that the Saxons acclaimed the king at a certain point in the ceremony. But they were outside and could not see what was going on, and took their cue too early. The Normans thought their cheers were shouts of defiance and rushed out, swords drawn. It was quite natural that fighting should follow."

"Soon only the Archbishop of York, who was performing the ceremony, and William were left in the abbey. William wanted the ceremony speeded up, but the archbishop insisted that the full Saxon ceremony had to be followed. William wouldn't be properly king when William got through, the streets were

REDS PRACTISE BALL TONIGHT

"I want all interested in softball, at the Stuart Scott school grounds on Thursday night at 7 o'clock!" Yes, it was Joe Spillie speaking, and the words officially open the softball season, so far as Newmarket is concerned. It's the Redmen's first official workout.

A good number of the old guard of last year's team are on hand, but as usual, the Redmen hope to bring in a number of promising players to bolster the team's fighting strength.

Anyone and everyone with an idea of what a baseball bat can be used for, is asked to be at the ball grounds at 7 o'clock tonight. The Redmen are going places again this year, and aspiring players are urgently invited to hop on the wagon along with them.

PLAY AGAIN IN YORK - SIMCOE

Decision to enter again the York-Simcoe tennis league was reached at a meeting of the Newmarket Tennis Club on Monday evening. Miss Albertine Simpson and J. S. Choppin were elected delegates to represent the club at the annual meeting of the league at Allandale next Monday night.

Officers were elected as follows: honorary president, P. W. Pearson; hon. vice-pres., Mrs. W. E. Lyons, Andrew J. Davis; president, N. L. Mathews; vice-pres., Thomas E. Scott, secretary, Miss Phyllis Peppiatt; convener of grounds committee, Arnold Molyneux; convener of tournament committee, Miss B. E. Lyons; convener of refreshment committee, Mrs. C. H. Thompson.

The personnel of the various committees will be selected by a striking committee composed of the executive.

The membership committee is composed of J. S. Choppin, Stuart Parks, Lawrence Wright, Miss Alberta Simpson and Mrs. C. H. Thompson.

The lighting of the third court was discussed. If the membership this year is sufficient to warrant the expense of doing so, it will be lighted this year.

LEADS SERVICE
Mrs. D. McIntyre addressed a Mothers' Day service held in the Danforth Presbyterian church, Toronto, on Sunday evening.

W. WHITE WINS IN DECORATING

William White's service station on Eagle St. was awarded first place in the contest for the best-decorated business premises held on coronation day.

Second place was won by McGregor Men's Wear. H. M. Hooker's store on Main St. took third honors. Honorable mention was given the Bank of Toronto, Bank of Montreal, Frank Bowser, W. W. Osborne and Norman Williams.

Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle won first place in the residence class, for the decorating of St. John's rectory, Ontario St. A. N. Belugin's Park Ave. home was second, and the home of Edward Mitchell, Andrew St., came third. The homes of W. H. S. Cane, William Wright, W. W. Osborne, Mrs. Edward Peat and Arthur Peppiatt were given honorable mention.

W. J. Hopkinson, Ross Hugo and Rudy Renzius were the judges.



ANNOUNCES MOVE

H. E. Gilroy, enterprising men's clothing merchant, announced this week that he has leased the former premises of the Bank of Toronto, which will be remodelled into an up-to-date retail store with attractive display windows. Mr. Gilroy will occupy the former Province of Ontario savings office during July, August and September while the alterations are being made.

Reds Would Destroy Nation Mayor Boyd Tells Schools

Pupils Given Medallions At Impressive Ceremonies On Tuesday

Hundreds of happy public, separate and high school children received coronation medals from the hands of the mayor and members of the school boards at school services on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. S. J. Boyd, the mayor, visited the separate school in company with Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle and Bernard McFall, chairman of the separate school board. W. H. Eves, chairman of the public school board, Dr. J. C. R. Edwards, member of the board, and Rev. A. J. Patstone visited the three public schools, accompanied by Dr. Boyd at King George school, where Principal H. A. Jackson presided.

Following the short ceremonies and brief speeches at the public

BAND PLANS SOCIAL

The Newmarket Citizens' Band is planning to have a lawn social around the end of June. Plans have not as yet been completed, but further announcement will be made later.

schools the children went to their own classrooms, where the teachers gave a short explanation of the coronation.

At an impressive high school service Principal J. B. Bastedo was chairman. George D. Wark, chairman of the high school board, was on the platform. The auditorium was filled.

Miss Mary Henry read a description of the coronation service. Rev. A. J. Patstone gave a very eloquent address, explaining the patriotic and religious significance of the coronation. Page 5, col. 6

Flag-Waving Covers Many Sins, Declares Headmaster

Jos. McCulley Stresses Real Significance Of Coronation

"The word 'imperialism,' in the sense that it indicates dominance or extension of power by force of arms or perhaps even by stealth, has fallen into bad repute these days," Headmaster Joseph McCulley stated in his address on "Kingship" given to the students of Pickering College at the close of their coronation service on Tuesday afternoon.

"There are those whose patriotism consists of flag-waving, the chief intention of which is to cover much iniquity," Mr. McCulley said. He recalled the American newspaper which for many years carried on its masthead the quotation, "my country may she always be in the right, but my country, right or wrong."

Coming Events

(Coming Events announcements one cent a word per week, minimum 25 cents.)

FRIDAY, MAY 21—Hard-time dance at Belhaven Community Hall. Prize for best-dressed couple. Catania's orchestra. This is the last dance of the season. 2w15

SATURDAY, MAY 22—Opening Dance Royal Simcoe Hotel, Keswick. Midnight Frolic, May 23.

"Even at this time," the speaker declared, "it must be admitted that there are those who are taking advantage of this sacred occasion for ignoble purposes. Page 5, col. 6

Double Wedding Held At Free Methodist Kirk, Bibles Given

When the Free Methodist church was built here in 1913, a promise was made by the society that the first couple to be married in the church would be presented with a Bible. The presentation took place last Thursday, but two Bibles were presented as the first wedding in the church was a double one.

The church was beautifully decorated with flowers when Violet Perry, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. N. Perry, became the bride of Earl Bull of Jefferson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bull of Jefferson; and Lorraine Westgarth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Westgarth, of Udon, was married to Arthur Perry, son of Rev. and Mrs. N. Perry.

Rev. N. Perry, father of one of the brides and one of the grooms, performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. E. J. Lee.

Both brides were dressed in

blue. Miss Perry chose navy with matching accessories, and Miss Westgarth chose light blue with navy accessories. Both carried bouquets of roses.

Miss Bertha Perry attended her sister, Miss Dorothy Westgarth, was her sister's bridesmaid. Both girls were dressed in printed sheer with matching accessories and carried bouquets of sweet peas.

Achie Bull of Jefferson and Austin Baxter of Uxbridge were groomsmen.

Following the church service a reception was held at the Perry home. The many guests included relatives and friends from Udon, Sunderland, and Jefferson. Mr. and Mrs. Bull left for a trip to Westport and will make their home in Jefferson. Mr. and Mrs. Perry will make their home on Timothy St. on their return.



PRINCESS ELIZABETH, HEIR PRESUMPTIVE

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A KING IS CROWNED

King George VI was crowned yesterday king of over so many nations, more nations than any man was ever crowned king of before, and possibly of more people than any man was ever king of before. It is one of the strangest phenomena of this modern world, the most ancient of political institutions, a kingship, in the most modern of political institutions, a commonwealth of nations (even more modern than a world league of nations). In the weeks and months that preceded the coronation we heard and thought more of the political significance of the coronation, but yesterday we were impressed more with the religious side of the coronation.

Divine Right, Divine Blessing

Just as new interpretations have been placed on the political side of the coronation, so new interpretations have been placed on the religious side of the ceremony. At one time the king reigned and ruled, but his prestige and popularity today are the greater because he merely reigns while others rule—accepting responsibility for unpopular or popular acts of government. That is a political change. There is a corresponding change in the religious side of the coronation. The church plays a great part in the coronation. The coronation is a religious ceremony. The Archbishop of Canterbury, not the prime ministers, anoints the king. That custom grew up at a time, we suppose, when the king was in a position to arrange coronation details and was no doubt based on the king's preference that he should receive his authority from God rather than from his people. The Stuarts' belief in the "divine right of kings" still crowns the king, but we see in this ceremonial not the divine right of kings but the divine blessing. Thus our conservatism retains old customs and our liberalism puts new interpretations upon them.

A TIDIER, HEALTHIER TOWN

There has been general commendation of the reeve's proposal that the town should either take over the collection of garbage or assume some control of collection. Town collection of garbage would be a step forward. A clean town, which includes clean backyards, is a matter of public health and a matter of public concern. Dr. J. H. Wesley, on whose recommendation as M. O. H. the matter will probably be decided, has declared that the present methods of garbage collection are unsatisfactory and has expressed himself as in favor of a change. More than that, it is suggested that the town may be able to do the work more cheaply than it has been done in the past. That would be popular, if it proved true. In any event, it is to be hoped that the change does not work hardship to those now engaged in the collection of garbage.

STOP THIEF! STOP THIEF!

A couple of men walk into a bank and steal a large sum of money. The police become very anxious to know who committed this robbery. Somehow we feel much more concerned about why they committed it. If society just knew that, there would be no need to worry about their identity. The principal reason for punishing criminals, we are told, is to deter others from crime. If we just knew why those two men robbed that bank we could forget about punishing them and busy ourselves about changing the conditions which produced that crime and which, if unremedied, will produce similar crimes.

A Yolland Scared Inspector

Thinking along these lines we decided to consult a friend of ours at Yolland Scard. He would talk about who the criminals likely were, but we insisted that this was the less important side of the case and finally got him talking about why the crime was committed. We of course agreed that the kind of people who committed the robbery, if he could throw any light on that subject, was of importance to our inquiry. The inspector proceeded to suggest a number of theories, which we set out here.

He Does Some Railing Out

"First," said the inspector, warming to his subject, "I would point out that it was in all probability entirely an economic matter. It is possible that these men were well-to-do, without any need for money, and that they were just seeking a thrill. I say that is possible, but not probable. Further than that, I would say that the robbing of a bank cannot be put down, in probability, to a so-called 'criminal nature'; we might say that of an habitual killer or a reckless 'fire-bug,' although we have to be very careful in these days of psychologists and criminologists in suggesting that some people are born criminals. I would point out too that the robbers probably meant harm to no human being. They regard a bank as an impersonal institution which can very well afford to be robbed occasionally, and they were kindly about not shutting the door of the vault against the staff. Of course, that may have been just caution lest they should not become involved in a more serious crime.

The Inspector's Theory

"Probably those men wanted money and wanted it badly," continued the inspector. "If you or I want money badly enough, we go to a friend or a bank and borrow it. Of course, we have to give some security. Our robber friends probably had no security to offer a bank and they had no friends who could or who would lend them money.

An Extravagant Suggestion

"Superficially, one might say that our social system therefore fell down in not providing these gentlemen with an adequate income, but that would indeed be superficial, for there is still the possibility that they had a reasonable income but lived beyond it, or that they had the opportunity to work but preferred to steal, or that they had at an earlier point in their careers an opportunity to fit themselves for jobs or positions now open to them if only they had qualified themselves at the right time. You see how intricate the subject is, and without casting any reflection on the law, I would point out that this intricacy is the reason that we of the law have avoided as far as possible this subject of motives and justification, preferring to stick to objective and factual tests in the determination of guilt. If a man goes into a bank and takes money, he is a robber, even though he has no other way of obtaining money and he uses the money to pay for an operation which will save his wife's life. You will see that it would be utterly impossible, without tremendously increasing the cost of law enforcement, for the

law to take such facts into consideration. We would have to employ a staff of economists, psychologists, alienists and criminologists in our criminal investigation department. Our judges would have to be specially trained in psychology as well as in law. Our lawyers would have to be similarly equipped. More than that, we would seem, in many instances, to be too lenient, and would perhaps encourage other crimes. I admit, however, that if it were possible for us to proceed along those lines, conducting our inquiry into crimes in a closed court, as juvenile court judges do, or as a physician deals with a sick man, we would learn a great deal about human nature and this strange thing called crime.

What Cause Crime

"Now I would suggest several sets of circumstances, although you might add many more, which could lead to a bank robbery. The two men may have been unemployed for several years and finally became 'fed up.' They may have been respectable business men who got involved in financial difficulties and saw a desperate way out. One only may have needed money and the other may have been a young man who was recruited for the adventure. Or these men may have been married to women who lived beyond their circumstances, women who wanted splendid new automobiles which their husbands couldn't afford. Perhaps there has been illness in one of these homes; there may have been a crippled son for whom an expensive operation would mean a chance in life. Or suppose that these were two young men wanting to marry girls with whom they were in love but were held back year after year by poor wages. Perhaps the girls were not patient enough and taunted them for their poor earning power. Perhaps the girls even suggested the bank robbery to them. Conceivably, the robbers were men who thought it would be more degrading to accept public assistance than to help themselves at the expense of a bank.

Robbers Classified

"I think we may safely say that bank robbers can be divided into three classes; men of good reputation who commit robbery for the sake of others near and dear to them; men of previous good character who are tempted to commit robbery for their own personal and selfish advantage; and men who are not impressed with our social code of the sanctity of property, men who think that 'all's fair in love or war' and that 'takings are keepings.' You may call them criminals if you will.

Lecture Ended

"When society can afford to go to that expense I think that we should analyze the motives behind all crimes. We would find that a certain percentage were committed because the principals lacked an opportunity to earn an income; a certain percentage because the principals lacked the training to enable them to earn a living; a certain percentage because the principals lacked good friends or recreational activities; a certain percentage because the principals had unorthodox ideas of right and wrong, in other words, because their school and home education had been a failure; a certain percentage because the principals were seeking a thrill, although that is possibly the same as lacking recreational opportunities; a certain percentage because they were just selfish and greedy, although that again is lack of proper education; a certain percentage of crimes because of jealousy and lack of self-control. These reasons dovetail with each other, but I feel that if we had some statistics of this sort we would know how to change our home training, our schools, our social system so that we could eventually eliminate this phenomenon known as crime. There now," said the inspector, "I didn't intend to give you a lecture like this."

CORONATION DECORATIONS

The decorations yesterday were a credit to the town. Newmarket is one of the up-and-coming communities in the province. When there is something to celebrate, Newmarket knows how to do it. The sister town of Aurora didn't do badly either.

WORK NEEDED

Some of the streets in the north-west end of the town, streets that need not be named, are in terrific condition. It is to be hoped that the public works committee have been allowed enough money to put these streets in reasonable shape.

PAGEANTRY OF SUMMER

Now that the coronation is over, it is not too soon to look forward to the York history pageant being planned by Dr. C. E. VanderVoort and the Lions club. It is a summer of pageantry.

YOUR OWN CHILDREN MORE BEAUTIFUL

Now's the time to buy a hoe and a rake and get out into the garden. The flowers you grow yourself are more beautiful than any hot-house products.

STRAIT AND NARROW

The coronation parade yesterday again revealed the narrowness of Main St. Motorists were requested to keep their cars off Main St. while the parade passed. This was sensible, but how nice it would have been if there had been room for the cars to park along the Main St.

ARMAMENTS

The coronation has undoubtedly proved a godsend to those who, in Britain, have been charged with the responsibilities of government and the enlisting of public support for the burdensome rearmament budget. This problem of peace and war will have to be solved before the problem of prosperity can be solved. Preparation for war seems to bring prosperity but everybody realizes that lasting prosperity cannot be built upon the non-productive, and possibly destructive, manufacture of war materials.

PLAYGROUND SUGGESTIONS

Dr. W. D. Muckle took a good suggestion to the town council last week. It was to put a north end field in shape as a playing ground. A community can save itself a lot of trouble and parents a lot of grief by providing recreational opportunities. Councillor Arthur Evans added another good suggestion that the town pay the school caretakers a small amount for supervising play on the various school grounds during the holiday months.

CORONATION UNITY

One of the incidental values about a great event such as the coronation of the king and queen is the way it brings us all together and makes us realize how unimportant, after all, are our differences, social, economic, political. This is even more evident in the old country where common loyalty to the throne breaks down on such occasions the most marked class differences. Imagine, too, having a political meeting on coronation day. What difficulty there would be in making the audience feel that it was more important to be a Conservative than a Liberal, or better to be a Liberal than a Conservative. On such occasions as a coronation we all come together as citizens, each putting our own interpretations on the coronation, but without a difference as citizens and neighbors.

The Common Round

By Isabel Inglis Colville

"I'm Going To The Coronation"

Yes, by the time this goes to print, I shall have reached London Town by way of H. M. S. "Bookitania."

I've secured a stateroom which I hopefully dream will not encourage mal-de-mer—sea sickness to you—as our fellow columnist might say, for alas and also alack, I am a poor sailor!

For weeks I've thought coronation, read coronation, dreamed coronation, but always one stern fact planted itself in the foreground—where was the money to come from—and always my own common sense echoed, "where?"

But will-power, plus various aids and multiplied by imagination, came to my rescue, and the impossible became possible.

From the many lovely fashions displayed in every magazine for this never-to-be-forgotten spring, I have chosen a wardrobe, which I hope will be suitable for every occasion.

Perhaps you will wonder, how, so suddenly, I managed to finance my trip—perhaps you'd even like to join me. Well, come along—I'm going in a scrap-book!

Starting with the ship on which I would like to have sailed, I intend, by means of pictures and articles, to piece together, for my future delectation, a record of all

that I would have striven to see, could I have gone in reality, and also many things I could never have hoped to see.

From the wealth of material, written and pictured, I shall choose only what especially appeals to me—the little intimate, personal write-ups, which make our Royal family live for us, with the best pictures of them.

Also pictures of the preparations being made in London—the decorating and rehearsing, and, too, articles on the quaint and picturesque customs, which come to light only when a sovereign is crowned.

Then I want pictures of the procession; of the famous personages who will gather in London at that time; of the Abbey, and the ancient and symbolic rite of crowning—well, I intend as nearly as possible to have an account—an illustrated one—as minute and detailed, as if I had been an eyewitness and kept a diary.

Such a souvenir will be something to keep forever, and I shall certainly feel, by the time my book tour is ended, that I am richer mentally, and that as far as possible, short of actually seeing and hearing, that I have participated in the coronation.



Flags Flutter and Chickadees Flare Up

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"I have been listening to Bob Bobolink, as I sit on our eggs," Cora Chickadee told Chips, her husband, one fine May morning. "He's singing 'I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles,' I think."

"Well, he certainly does bubble all right," laughed Chips. "There's no one I'd rather listen to than Bob. Everyone's music sounds nice at this time of year."

"You must have been listening to a lot of music since you flew off a while ago," said Cora. "You said you were just going over to say 'good-morning' to Chubby and would only be gone a minute. Where in the heavens were you, may I ask?"

"Now, don't nag, my love," grinned Chips. "I have never been a chickadee-pecked husband, and I'm not going to be this year."

"I'm not nagging," insisted Cora, "but I have been alone a lot lately. Don't forget that I let you go away over to the centre of town yesterday and watch the coronation parade."

"Yes, but I told you all about it, my dear little Cora," expostulated her husband. "Besides, Pecker and Mrs. Pecker, and Handsome and the Blue Jay, and Kitty Catbird and her husband fairly begged me to go with them to Aurora to see the afternoon parade there, and I didn't go."

Cora's face turned pink with vexation. "Well, my black cap!" she muttered. "You know perfectly well that Pecker and Mrs. Pecker haven't laid their eggs yet and the others haven't even got their nests built. Mrs. Pecker told me herself that their nest was all finished after a lot of hard work. They made a brand new hole in a tree and it was

quite a job. That trip was to celebrate having it all done, and now they are going to settle right down. It's all very well for you to go gadding about and leave me here to look after the eggs. But I get tired of being alone."

"Why, my love, you amaze me," chirped Chips. "I had no idea you felt this way. You always say that you like to do most of the work yourself. And I always tell you the news when I get home from anywhere."

"Quite true, but that doesn't mean I want you flying all over town having a good time," said Cora firmly. "I think you should stay right near by and talk to me."

"You must be quite worn out," said her mate. "I don't know when I've seen you flare up like this. I tell you what. You just preen your feathers and go for a little jaunt yourself and I'll look after the eggs until you get back."

"You just run over to the woods and look at Mrs. Pecker's new home," he suggested. "She'll be proud to show it to you. Then you drop over to see Hattie Nuthatch and have a good gossip with her. You certainly must get out occasionally after this. Now go on. Get ready."

"You're really very sweet," chirped Cora humbly. "I would like to see the girls. And, of course, I didn't really mean the nasty things I said. But, do you think you can take care of the eggs all right?"

"Of course, silly," replied Chips. "I guess I've looked after eggs before. After all this is the third year we've brought up a family. Good-bye. Have a good time. Dear knows when you'll get a chance like this again," he added, with a grin.

25 Years Ago

From Era File, May 17, 1912

Mrs. Galbraith has returned home from her visit to Toronto. Mr. J. H. Hopley and lady friend of Toronto spent Monday with Mrs. E. Barber.

Col. Lloyd is at the lake this week, putting a shine on his summer cottage.

Mrs. Calvert of Toronto spent a day or two last week with her sister, Mrs. B. Hewitt, at the home of Mrs. Margaret Osborne of Toronto spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Osborne. Mr. Archie Thompson has returned to work this week after his illness.

Mr. A. Hyder, having accepted a position with the Davis Tannery, has moved his household effects here from Collingwood.

Mr. John Rosemond is at Orchard Beach this week, putting in his garden and getting ready for the summer.

Miss Truman, one of the public school teachers, was called home on Friday because of the illness of her grandmother.

Mrs. W. Ekins and children spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. Osborne. Timothy St. before leaving for their new home in Cornwall.

Mr. Schiedle, teller in the Bank of Montreal, who has made many friends during his stay in Newmarket, is leaving for Vancouver.

Rev. R. J. D. Simpson was in Toronto on Tuesday making arrangements for the holding of the 20th session of Toronto Conference.

Mrs. Wesley Osborne gave a surprise party at her home on Timothy St. to a number of old friends of Miss Nellie Osborne in honor of her birthday on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. F. J. Roche, barrister of Toronto, brother of Mr. Danford Roche of Newmarket, has been appointed to the position of clerk of the non-jury assize court.

Marriage—At Toronto, on May 15, 1912, Mr. Thos. F. Mainprize

of Chicago to Miss Josephine, daughter of Mr. Guy Fox, formerly of Newmarket.

Death—At Queensville, on May 11, 1912, James W. Wright, in his 60th year.

50 Years Ago

From Era File, May 13, 1887

Mrs. Rowland of Collingwood, daughter of Mr. Jas. Allan, is home for a visit.

Mr. E. F. Stevenson, editor of the Bracebridge Gazette, was in town on Friday.

Jas. Johnson of Stayner is looking after the improvements at Bogartown dam.

Mr. Ben Coates of Orillia was in town this week.

Mr. John Allen had another relapse on Saturday, but is improving now.

Mr. D. A. Peregrine of Rockport, Ia., was the guest of Mr. H. S. Cane on Sunday. He came to attend his father's golden wedding anniversary.

Prof. Johnson, the faith-cure man, is still at the Royal hotel. Mr. Henry Wright of Guelph is visiting relatives in town this week.

Miss Hackett, daughter of Mrs. Bayly, Queen St., has so far recovered from her illness as to be out for a drive on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Jamieson of the Queensville circuit preached in the Methodist church here last Sunday.

Mr. David Gunn of Bond Head, accompanied by his niece, Miss Jennie Gunn, was in town on Wednesday, attending the funeral of the late Angus McArthur.

Rev. E. A. Halner, of Brooklyn, N.Y., has consented to preach in the Christian church here on Sunday, both to relieve his father's mind and to gratify the desire of his many friends.

Mr. W. T. Gartley of London, son of Mr. A. Gartley of Prospect Ave., spent a few days in town last week, and left on Tuesday, accompanied by his wife, who has been visiting her mother,



THE THREE-HORSE EVENING

Hauling big stones on loose earth is hard on horses. If you have a very heavy stone-boat it is doubly hard on horses. And if the horses have been taking a holiday for five months it is even harder. And the mares in foal should not draw too hard.

Other horses stood idle in the stable waiting until land and drivers would be ready for them. Why not hitch Gyp beside Poll and Bess to share their load? There was the cultivator with full equipment for three horses. Simply transfer the eveners to the stone-boat and bring along the other horse. She would need to be harnessed for the afternoon anyway.

But would the eveners stand it? We feared not. Designed for the steady drag of the cultivator or harrows it might snap under the strain of a real load. And then there would be another repair problem. So Poll and Bess tugged at the stone-boat and Gyp stamped her eagerness in the stall.

Yesterday two men worked for 12 long hours preparing soil and doing chores. They worked for 12 hours the day before yesterday and they will work for 12 hours tomorrow. Last night one of them went to the board meeting of his local co-operative. He yawned, and so did the other directors, each one coming from a day of hard work. He came

home and went to bed more tired than one should be.

Yesterday, as the two men worked in a field beside the road, there came one who was unemployed. He would be willing to work for a small sum. But the sum was too great for the income of the farm on which the two were overworked. So the two hurried on with their overwork, and the one wandered off with his unemployment.

The idle one was scarcely out of sight when the sun struck upon polished metal coming over the hill. An automobile worth more than those of a dozen tillers of the fertile soil sped by. At the wheel was a young man who in all his life has done nothing to justify his livelihood.

Passions of the form a chief problem has been to find amusement which might relieve the boredom of a purposeless existence. He has toiled not, neither has he spun, yet the economic system has overfed him.

Apparently there is lacking some sort of eveners in the world of men as well as in the world of horses. The doubletree which chains two men to a 12-hour day while two more are idle is no longer adequate.

I do not say that all four men should pull exactly alike at the traces. But I do say that it would be better to have four men each working a six-hour day than to have the present maldistribution of labor.

School Notes

THE REEVE SPEAKS
(By Pedagogue)

It was a bright idea for a local women's association to have the reeve of the township address their meeting the other afternoon. Since women are granted the franchise it is a wise thing for them to be intelligently instructed in county and township government.

Let them go a step further and have the provincial M.L.A. tell them about Ontario government affairs, and the local M.P. discuss the matters over which the federal government has jurisdiction.

Even our teachers would be helped in their teaching of civics to have these officials give a special lesson on "How We Are Governed." The pupils would be more impressed than by the same lessons being taught by their teachers.

WILFRID
W. I. HEARS OF
SCHOOL BOARDS

At the May meeting of the Pefferlaw Women's Institute held in the community hall on Tuesday of last week, Mr. G. Smith, reeve of the township, gave an address on the subject "Township School Boards," which proved very instructive and interesting.

This was followed by an address by the president, Mrs. W. H. Johnston, on the year's work. The following officers were elected for 1937-38: president, Mrs. W. H. Johnston; vice-president, Mrs. Roy Cronberry; secretary, Mrs. M. Meek; treasurer, Mrs. M. Meek; district director, Miss Mary Johnston; board of directors, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. H. H. Evans and Miss F. Way; pianist, Mrs. R. Handcock; press secretary, Mrs. R. Handcock; auditors, Mrs. J. S. Moore and Miss Mary Johnston.

The Wilfrid Women's Association met at the parsonage on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. F. Bagshaw conducted the meeting. The program on music was prepared by Mrs. M. Meek. The contest, "Ask another," was won by Mrs. Wilmot Park. Lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. M. R. Brown.

Miss Lula Crosby and Mr. Harry Myers of Zephyr visited M. Meek's on Sunday.

Miss Sarah Neilson spent the weekend at her home here.

Miss Mary Johnston attended a meeting of the directors of the North York Women's Institutes in Newmarket on Monday afternoon.

Sharon

Dr. and Mrs. D. R. Fletcher of Whitby visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tate on Sunday.

Mrs. Willson of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fry and Jean visited friends at Nobleton on Sunday.

The Misses Marian and Gertrude Grose spent the weekend with their parents.

Mr. S. Bonner of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hildaby.

Miss Joyce Collins and Mr. Elman Glebe of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Collins.

The Y. P. U. is having a special coronation service at the church on Friday night at 8 p.m., with a special speaker. Everyone will be welcomed.

Miss Dorothy Ramsay of West-on spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fairbairn.

The Misses Grace and Doris Oliver spent the weekend at their home.

The service at the United church on Sunday will be at the usual time, 7.30 p.m. Sunday-school will be at 10 a.m., starting next Sunday, for the summer months.

The Misses Kathleen McRae and Grace Palmer spent the

Notes . . . To You

A Note Of Weariness

I am tired of sitting solemn in this office writing columns and I'm fed-up with the constant need for type. Why can't our muscles harden as we struggle in the garden, or else sit down and watch the squashes ripen? But while we're digging proudly, the boss is screaming loudly that it's time to put The Era on the press. And when the boss is shouting of what we're forget-abouts, there's nothing left to do but answer yes. Yes! YES!

So we leave the shovel as a token of tired harsh words that were spoken. It's time to write of marriage or a birth. For unless the boss is scheming how to pay us for just dreaming, we have to work like heck to show our worth. Though the cauliflowerers are calling we will have to stop our stalling and see if we can earn our share of dough. Else if we ask for raises from the boss instead of praises, we're a little bit afraid he'll answer no. No! NO!

Therefore we write of movements for local home improvements, and try to remember what it was the mayor said. We write out a selection on better garbage collection, and then dear friends, we slink away to bed.

Mothers' Day Note

The trouble about writing concerning Mothers' Day is that this column is supposed to be humorous, in a mild way, of course. And Mother is one topic on which we are not disposed to be even mildly funny.

To our Mother we owe an enormous debt. Like most of our debt, it remains unpaid. For one service which Mother did for us we are particularly grateful, and of this we simply must speak.

Mother never smiled when we tried to be funny. At times, when we tried to be the life of the dinner table, we were inclined to resent Mother's calm disdain of our cavorting. Mother, we said to ourselves, had no sense of humor.

Now we know differently. Mother was simply trying to prepare us for our experience in the cold hard world. She was making us ready for the time when our brightest efforts would meet with the dreary, unblinking stare of a larger audience. Mother isn't the only one who thinks we're extremely unfunny. But, thanks to Mother, we don't mind much, now.

Note Of Defiance

In fact we still laugh like little goats at our own jokes

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Spring is the season of overflowing milk pails. Every pound of this huge supply has to find an outlet. Months of planning must precede high production and months of selling must follow so that cash for the spring milk crop can flow back to the producer in an uninterrupted stream.



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CANADIAN NATIONAL

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BY GOLDEN GLOW

Coronation is uppermost in our minds still, even though when you read these few lines all will be over. Today as I write, Newmarket citizens are busy decorating, or planning decorations to be put in place on Tuesday, ready for coronation day.

I feel I could write reams about it all, but will restrain my pen. I know in my heart Newmarket is going to have a fitting and an appropriate celebration, for everyone, from the mayor down to the smallest child able to take part and march in the procession to Memorial Park, is co-operating to make it one of the most memorable days in the history of this old town, where wonderful celebrations have been held in the past.

Newmarket has always been considered the "Hub of North York," and we never yet have had to take second place on any occasion where loyalty to our king and the throne was involved. It has been wonderful to take a ride through our streets and see already, days before the wonderful event, how citizens have responded to the urge to show their loyalty.

We had a wonderful surprise, driving home along Huron Street one evening this week after dark, to see the magnificent display at the Davis Leather Factory. I think they must surely have been the first to put up decorations and flood lights. They have set a high standard for us all to follow.

You see I cannot get away from the thought of coronation even if I know it will all be over when this article goes into print. But I do think we owe grateful thanks to the mayor and the town council, especially the committee in charge, for their untiring efforts to make the celebration a success, and have everything done in a manner befitting such a wonderful, world-wide event. Never in the history of mankind, save alone the British Commonwealth of Nations, has there ever been such a coronation as this one of our beloved King George and his consort, Queen Elizabeth.

I think I will have to walk around the block, or something equally drastic, in order to fill my mind with other happenings, or I will fill this article yet with the coronation, in spite of myself. On second thoughts, no I won't! For why? It's pouring rain! I'll walk around my chair to change my luck, as we used to say!

Here I am again — I did a marathon around my chair and I looked out of the window at the same time, and I can scarcely believe my eyes, for the trees are all starting to leaf out and the

grass is a vivid green all along the boulevard of the street opposite our home. A little over a week ago we were shivering with the cold high wind, raw atmosphere, and were making sure the furnace did not run low. House-cleaning and gardening were at a standstill!

Then suddenly, the beginning of this week, we had three hot summer days — children played outdoors with summer dresses, socks and slippers, and the boys hunted up their swimming suits. Local asparagus appeared — spring flowers all sprang into bloom. The pussy-willow tree became a mass of yellow fuzz, thick with bees. A man came selling grated horse-radish! Yes, indeed, we jumped into summer — but here we are once more back where we started from, a cold clammy day, rain has been falling all yesterday afternoon and all night. Furnace fires once more going, and people are back in warmer dress. But Sunday was glorious.

After being at morning service, we went for a car-ride to see how Lake Simcoe looked. Summer had arrived at the Lake. People were flooding there! Traffic was heavy! Nearly every summer cottage had occupants. At Island Grove we were invited for a motor-launch ride over to the island, and it was as warm, if not warmer, than the middle of summer sometimes.

Then on we went to try out the new paved road. It is truly marvelous! A prettier, and more scenic drive will be hard to find; and when the last stretch from Island Grove to Jackson's Point is completed, it will be one of the finest drives anywhere in the Dominion, not even excepting the marine drive, Vancouver, or the scenic drive around wonderful Stanley Park in the same city. All they have there, that we have not, is the mountains, and I always maintain that looking out Lake Simcoe is like looking out to sea, and we do not have to take "tides" into consideration. (I never could imagine what use tides are anyhow!)

And I must not end up without telling about that swamp I have written of before several times, in the course of its reclaiming and development, the swamp that is no more, about a mile this side of Jackson's Point. Anyone who did not know that part of the lake front intimately can never properly appreciate what has been accomplished.

That stretch was most uninteresting and unattractive. In fact, it was rather a hazard and motorists were always glad when it was behind them, going or coming. You may recall an article I once wrote, during the early operations, when long rubber hoses were used to pump the sand from the floor of the Lake into the bed of the swamp. That swamp was absolutely repulsive — you fancied all sorts of horrors lurked there, snakes especially! And if an alligator had thrust its ugly head out, or horrid monkeys had chattered at you, it would have been no great surprise.

But wait till you see it now! It is pure magic, a miracle of modern science perhaps I should say. And it already has a name, quite appropriate too, "Paradise Beach." All the underbrush has been cleared out, the road widened, and a new cedar hedge fences it off. Trees have been left here and there, and soon things will be growing there again, but not swamp growth! Just fancy ten acres of swamp reclaimed at one of the most attractive spots on our lovely lake — with its marvellous beach. And the sluggish river that flowed into the lake at the west end is now crossed by a sturdy modern cement bridge, replacing that dangerous narrow wooden one which motorists all abhorred.

On one went through Jackson's Point and on past "The Briers," the home of the Sibbald family, along the road shut in on both sides by tall cedar hedges to Mossington Park, Sutton West, and you could scarcely get over the wide bridge there over the Black River, for the crowds of people fishing. There must have been hundreds. Cars parked everywhere. People eating picnics in the open, people dressed in summer clothing, and the mouth of the river filled with small craft of every description, with intent fishers aboard.

But what caught my eye especially was the dredge anchored there. It is removing the sandbar that always forms at the rivermouth and prevents even the smallest boats from navigating safely. The government has at last taken it in hand, and now summer cottage owners along the banks of the river will be able to pass freely up and down and on into the lake. That, too, is a wonderful shore!

On we went, past the old historic Sibbald's church, and turning west and again south, we came to Virginia Beach where we turned and came back to the highway at Virginia and so on home.

The week before we had a short ride down towards the south and we kept the motor-rug over us and the heater turned on.

Last Sunday we travelled with windows all open and I even threw off the light coat I was wearing. Oh the weather! You never can count on it — I'll end up by saying I hope the weather helps us to celebrate coronation day by being like it was the beginning of this week.

Ansnoerveld

The chorus of the Christ Re-form church of Hamilton is intending to give a performance in Ansnoerveld on May 24. They will sing both English and Dutch numbers, and they would appreciate it very much if their Canadian friends would be present, too.

Changed Society By Home Contacts Seen By Speaker

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It is of such a nature that will make the children discourteous, back-biting and meddlesome?

"Tattling should be discouraged in the home, then it will not spread to the schoolroom and community. Favoritism should not be tolerated. Use each member of the family with equity, especially the children, and this in turn will be reflected in the children's contact with their comrades."

"A boost is always better than a knock. All of us cannot be great, neither can all the children be leaders, so let us teach our children to be kind to all and especially those who are less fortunate. Courtesy and respect should be observed in the intimate relations of the home."

"Honesty and truthfulness should not only be taught, but practised, by young and older ones. It is said the 'hand that rocks the cradle, rules the world.' It therefore behoves each one of us to be a real homemaker, and what a tremendous responsibility that is!"

"Both mothers and fathers should be equally interested in creating a Christian atmosphere in the home. Home should be a happy, enjoyable place — a wonderful place to cultivate the art of Christian living. The adjustment of parents and children is one of the crying needs of today. Mothers and fathers must be alive to the importance of world events in order to understand successfully the 20th century child."

"A lot of trouble is caused because the parents have lost the viewpoint of youth. It is so easy to forget the time when we were bubbling over, as it seemed, with ideas, ambitions, suppressed emotions and enthusiasm. All this is typical of youth, the springtime of life, and in order to lead successfully our boys and girls to a broader, truer

knowledge of the Christian mode of living we must, ourselves, be well acquainted with the fundamentals of Christian living.

"We cannot expect our views and opinions always to be adopted unless we are striving to live up to our ideals. In our everyday contacts with the world at large we hear so much about co-operation in business, church and social life. What a grand opportunity we have to practise co-operation in the home, where true co-operation is already in daily use although we do not seem to realize it."

"Home is the place to teach the true meaning of success. Real success is not the accumulation of great wealth at the expense of another. Success is the realization of having done some good for mankind. The love for good literature, appreciation of art, music, and all that is beautiful is formed to a great extent by home contacts."

"Lasting life comradeships recognize that neither party is flawless, and are generously tolerant as both journey along the pathway of life. Statistics tell us that divorces have increased 75 per cent. in the last 10 years in America. It is not so much the divorce laws but marriage conditions that need to be reformed. Hasty marriages, greed for money and position, and neglect of parents' admonitions, help fill our divorce courts."

"After considering the importance of home contacts, let us not forget the one who is the central figure of all homes, 'mother.'"

"At this season of the year, when homage is paid to the mothers of our land, let us have within us a desire to be a good homemaker, a good mother, a good follower of the meek and lowly Jesus, and fervently pray, 'God Bless our Home and Mother.'"

Sutton Schools Celebrate By Festival, Tree Planting

Children Show Handicraft Skill In Hobby Display

As a prelude to their celebration of the coronation, Sutton school children, with the help of the Mount Pleasant school choir, staged a musical festival in the Sutton town hall on Tuesday.

The program was as follows: Spring Voices and Robin Redbreast, sung by the junior chorus; My Little Nut Tree, by Hugh Laviolette, York festival gold medalist; Frank Doyle, Fletcher Prosser, John Burrows; Bedtime, by Mary Thayer; York festival silver medalist; Madeline Rose, Josephine Battaglia, Frances Longman, Shirley Todd, Marilyn McLaughlin.

Another selection, Little Lambs, by the junior chorus, was followed by Buttercups and Daisies, sung by Ruth Carmichael, Grace Shier, Ruth Bray, Mary Joan Laviolette, Josephine Prosser. Miss Olive Meyers gave a vocal solo and George Arbon, Joe Holborn, John Oliver, Donald Robertson and Bobbie Stokes joined in singing the Woodpecker Song.

A piano solo by Bern Tremayne preceded the singing by the Mount Pleasant school choir of two selections, Early One Morning and Come With Me.

Miss Lillian Holborn, who won a gold and a silver medal at the Niagara Falls festival recently, sang a solo. The senior girls' chorus sang, Welcome to Lovely Spring, which was followed by a duet by Beverly Robertson and Gladys Burnham, pupils of the Sutton high school. A piano solo was played by Geo. Holborn.

The senior chorus sang Spring Bells, followed by a quartet consisting of Maureen Shannon, Olga Sheppard, Bern Tremayne and Rena Big Canoe, who sang Mark the Tiny Cowslip Bell.

A recitation, The Frost, was given by Beth Tremayne, followed by another selection by the senior chorus, O Shepherd Boy.

A solo by Miss M. Draper, who won two gold medals at the York county festival, and a chorus, In Loyal Bands United, completed the program.

On Tuesday afternoon the school took part in a tree planting program. A hobby show, in which students displayed their handicraft, formed an interesting part of the celebration.

Virginia

There was a good attendance at the Mothers' Day service at the United church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Foster had their baby, Georgina Marie, christened.

Mrs. Block and daughter Evelyn, and son, Freddie, and the two Misses Lyons of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lyons.

Members of this community regret the passing of Rev. Neil McDonald last week. He was a school teacher some years ago. Sympathy is extended to his relatives near Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Paed of Woodville and Miss Velma Bosworth of Sutton were Sunday guests at the Hadden Farm.

TORONTO MARKETS

Butter solids changed hands in Toronto on Monday at 22 cents for No. 1 grade. Prints brought 24 cents to 24½ cents for top grades.

Graded egg shipments cleared at 20 cents to 20½ cents for grade-A large, ungraded eggs selling two cents lower.

No. 1 Ontario potatoes, delivered in Toronto in carload lots, were 90 cents per bag. Spring broilers from 2½ to 3 lbs., brought 22 cents a pound for dressed select-A. Young chickens 5 lbs. and over, brought 18 cents, and fatted hens 15 cents a pound.

A few choice weighty steers sold at \$7.50 to \$8.25; good butchers and heifers, \$7 to \$7.25, with common quality as low as \$5.

Choice veal calves brought \$8.50 to \$9; common lights selling downward to \$5.

Best feed-lot lambs closed at \$10.50 with other grades from \$8 to \$9. Spring lambs sold slowly at \$5 to \$9 each.

Off-truck bacon hogs closed at \$8.00 to \$8.75 and f.o.b. bacon at \$8.25 to \$8.50. Rail grades were quoted at \$11.45 to \$11.65, delivered.

LOCAL MARKET

Fresh flowers made their appearance on the local market Saturday morning. Daffodils were going for 3 for 5 cents and hyscynth were 15 cents a bunch. Fresh onions were two bunches for 5 cents. Rhubarb sold for 5 cents a bunch and three bunches for 10 cents. Potato onions were 10 cents a pound.

Butter was up to 28 cents a pound. Eggs again sold for 18 and 20 cents a dozen. Chicken sold for 20 cents a pound.

Incorrect List Printed

Unfortunately in listing the "Round the World" contest answers in The Era last week they were badly jumbled. Some of the answers were correct and others were incorrect. Naturally, some of the contest followers were quick to note these errors and to communicate with The Era. The correct answers will be published in detail just as soon as space permits.

SUTTON TEAM'S STICKS ARRIVE

With the arrival of a supply of brand new sticks last week Sutton's ice-cream team edged a little nearer completion. Plenty of material is on hand for the formation of a first-class squad, it is stated.

John Sibbald is president of the club, Bill Parks, vice-president, V. S. Shepherd, secretary, Remy Ruel, treasurer. The team will be managed by Donley Stiles and coached by Leon Smith.

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Mainprize — At York County hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mainprize of Keswick on Wednesday, a son.

Thompson — At Ross Memorial hospital, Lindsay, to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Thompson (formerly Edith Lowes) on Friday, a son.

DEATHS

Barry — On Sunday, at his late residence, Royal Oak, Michigan, James Barry, husband of the late Frances Gardner, in his 86th year. Funeral service at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. E. Hoover, Toronto, on Thursday. Interment King cemetery, King.

Brierley — Suddenly at Pine Beach, Keswick, Martha (Matty) Jane Hart, wife of Harold Brierley, late of Toronto. Service Thursday. Interment Prospect cemetery, Toronto.

Chappell — At her late residence, Machell Ave., Aurora, on Tuesday, Isabella Adams, widow of Edward Chappell, in her 94th year. Funeral service from the above address Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock (D.S.T.). Interment Aurora cemetery.

Forsyth — Suddenly on Friday, at his home, Toronto, Wesley O. Forsyth, husband of Sarah Stewart McGee Forsyth, and father of Mrs. F. H. Barlow, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William A. Forsyth of Aurora. Service at the home on Monday. Interment at Aurora cemetery.

Foster — At Toronto General Hospital, Toronto, on Sunday, Mrs. Wm. Foster (nee Marjorie Pegg), Newmarket, in her 22nd year. Funeral service Wednesday at the residence. Interment at Newmarket cemetery.

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McGeary — On Wednesday, at his home, 59 Stubbard Ave., Toronto, James McGeary, husband of Margaret E. King, in his 80th year. Service Friday afternoon. Interment Scotch Settlement cemetery, Bradford.

Travis — At Newmarket, on Wednesday, Ruth Bernice Kelley, wife of R. Earl Travis, Ottawa, in her 37th year. Funeral service (private) at the residence of her mother, Mrs. E. Kelley, 48 Millard Ave. on Friday. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Pottage — At her late residence, Kettleby, Agnes Pottage. Funeral service was at Christ church, Kettleby, on Tuesday. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Wiggins — At the residence of his sister, Mrs. James Murray, Kettleby, Saturday, Walter E. Wiggins, in his 76th year. Funeral service was at above address Monday. Interment at Kettleby cemetery.

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Trinity Y. P. S. and Evangelical Auxiliary Meet Together Monday

"Our king, George VI, whose coronation takes place on Wednesday, May 12, has the courage and determination and steadfastness of his father, possessing a real love of home, coupled with a keen and sincere affection for the common people of his realm, rounding out a noble character worthy to become monarch of the British Empire," said Mrs. I. Harris at a combined meeting of the Evangelical Auxiliary and the Y. P. S. of Trinity United church on Monday evening.

The coronation service from its beginning, including the brilliant pageantry of the procession to Westminster Abbey, was splendidly described in detail. Mrs. Harris augmented her talk with the aid of pictures of the royal family, scenes to be witnessed, and articles to be used in connection with the coronation, stressing the religious aspect of the service which dates back to the time of Britain's early kings.

Referring to the beautiful and much-loved Queen Elizabeth, Mrs. Harris spoke of her early life, some of her personal likes and traits, the naturalness of her smile which, coming from within and being most sincere, has won for her the respect and admiration of her subjects.

Although not of royal birth, the queen possesses a sterling character and charm of personality, and her marriage to the then Duke of York, was a love-match, proving to the world that team work is not only possible but highly successful in this business of "being royal."

After the singing of the National Anthem, Miss Nora Macintosh, president of the Y. P. S. and Mrs. S. King, acting president of the auxiliary, expressed the appreciation of the two societies to Mrs. Harris for her fine address.

Miss Mary Rutledge, Mrs. Allan Mills, Mrs. Aubrey Seythes and Miss L. Phipper gave two very fine double piano duets, which were enjoyed.

The auxiliary then withdrew. Mrs. J. H. Wells, assisted by several members of her group, portrayed "The Joy of the Lark," giving the conversation between would-be missionaries and missionaries, setting forth the motives and ideals, the difficulties and joys of the life of a missionary.

Following the reports of the secretaries and treasurers, Mrs. King expressed a wish for the president's, Mrs. Hickson's early recovery from her recent illness. The auxiliary plan to supply flowers for the pulpit during the month of July.

TAKES ILL SUDDENLY
George Brown, Engle St., became ill yesterday during the coronation celebration.

CARD OF THANKS
Mr. William Foster and family express their heartfelt appreciation of the many kindnesses of friends and neighbors during their recent bereavement.

CONSERVATIVE LADIES HOLD ANNUAL MEETING
The Ladies' Liberal-Conservative Association of Newmarket held a very successful meeting on Monday at the home of Miss N. Forsyth. With much regret the ladies present had to accept the resignation of Mrs. George Brown, as owing to ill-health she felt she could no longer carry on the duties of president.

The new officers were then elected and another meeting will be held Monday, May 17, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Max Smith, Millard and Lorne Aves., which all ladies interested in the Conservative cause are asked to make a special effort to attend.

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Mrs. M. K. Dillane was confined to her bed a few days last week, but is able to be around again.

Mr. Edwin Abbott spent Sunday at his home at the rectory.

Mrs. E. Marchant attended the annual meetings of the Diocesan W. A. held in St. Anne's parish hall, Toronto, last week. Mrs. A. V. Abbott also attended.

The W. M. S. of the United church met on Thursday at the home of Mrs. E. Smith.

Gib. Armstrong has commenced work on his new garage.

KETTLBY

CHURCH PLANS SHOW ON 24TH

The community and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hilborn and tendered a miscellaneous shower to their daughter, Ella, a bride-to-be, with many lovely and useful gifts.

Fred, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Corby, was taken to the Sick Children's Hospital with chicken-pox and pneumonia.

The W. A. and W. M. S. of the United church met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Marshall on Wednesday last week.

Mr. Fred Crane was removed to the General Hospital on Thursday morning, and will undergo an X-ray.

Master Fred Munshaw, young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Munshaw, is recovering in the Sick Children's Hospital, having been ill with pneumonia and measles.

Congratulations are extended to Miss Lenora Cutting and Miss Kathleen Black on winning prizes in the Round the World contest sponsored by The Era.

The annual concert under the auspices of the United church will be held in the parish hall on Monday evening, May 24. The evening's entertainment will consist of a highly recommended play, "The Scarecrow Creeps," given by the Y. P. S. of the United church of Newmarket, with music between acts by the Royal Mountaineers of Aurora.

Mrs. J. Dutcher has returned home after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Billings, who attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr. Samuel Bunn of Alliston, one day last week.

Mrs. Stella Campbell of Englehart attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr. Herbert Lewis, on Friday last week.

Mrs. Kenneth Blanchard of Richmond Hill visited her cousin, Mrs. John Archibald, on Wednesday last week.

A great many in the community will be sorry to learn of the illness of a former resident, Mr. Levi Watson of Smithville, who is under medical care in a Hamilton hospital.

Mrs. Albert Farren has returned home after spending several days with Mrs. A. Closs.

The annual garden party, under the auspices of the fifth line Baptist church, will be held on June 29.

PINE ORCHARD FIRE ENTIRELY WRECKS CYCLE

Mrs. Hoover, Cecil and Olive, and Mrs. Chalkin motored to Port Hope on Wednesday to bring home the wreck of the motorcycle which Cecil Hoover and Orley McClure were travelling on a few days before when it became enveloped in flames which destroyed it completely.

Mr. and Mrs. S. VanLoven of Newmarket spent Mothers' Day at the home of Mrs. Jas. Hope.

Mrs. VanLoven attended the church service in the afternoon. Rev. Mr. Kidd and Mrs. Kidd and two children of Newmarket, had dinner at Mr. M. Sheridan's home on Sunday and attended the Sunday-school for Mothers' Day program.

Misses Dora McClure and Florence Tucker were guests of Misses Ruth and Jeon Willis for tea on Sunday.

Mrs. Pingle of Toronto and Miss Irene Pingle of Aubrey, N.Y., and Mrs. Chapman spent Thursday at the home of L. J. Harper.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howlett spent M. Thers' Day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton, at White Rose.

Mr. G. Shropshire, Mrs. Fisher and son, and Miss Simmons of Toronto, called on Mr. G. Hunt on Sunday.

The Pine Orchard Sunday-school was well attended for the Mothers' Day program. The speaker, Mrs. Cole of Vandon, spoke on "Love, for love is of God." A cordial invitation is extended to all those present to return again next Sunday.

The Willing Workers meeting, held last week at the home of Mrs. Jas. Hope, was very poorly attended, which is very discouraging to the officers of any organization. Mrs. Armitage gave an excellent paper, found elsewhere in this issue, and Miss Betty Hope gave a splendid piano solo. All members are asked to try to be present at the June meeting, as plans will be made for painting the church.

The Institute will be held next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Ewart. An election of officers will be held and reports of the various committees in charge at present will be heard.

The convener of the Pine Orchard community meeting house committee desires a full attendance of the members of the Women's Institute at the next meeting, as there should then be made a final decision as to whether or not the Institute shall accept the Friends' offer to them.

of the larger meeting-house property which this neighborhood has used for some years past as a community hall.

Father (taken by surprise): "Why—no—but—er—"

Bobby: "Then how about putting me on relief?"

Bobby (short of money): "Say, dad, have you any work you'd like me to do?"

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of William White, late of the Township of East Gwillimbury, in the County of York, Farmer, deceased, who died on the 21st day of March, 1937, are requested to file the same, properly proven, with the undersigned, Charles William White and George Wesley White, Executors of said Estate, on or before the 5th day of June, 1937, as immediately thereafter, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of said Estate, amongst those entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims then filed.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1937.

CHARLES WILLIAM WHITE,
GEORGE WESLEY WHITE,
Executors.

c4w15 Queensville, Ont.

Sheriff's Sale of Lands

TO BE sold by Public Auction all the right, title and interest of William M. Wade, the defendant in that certain parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the Township of North Gwillimbury, in the County of York, and being composed of part of Lot Number 13 in the Third Concession of the said Township of North Gwillimbury, and more particularly described as follows:

All and Singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of North Gwillimbury, in the County of York, and being composed of part of Lot Number Thirteen, in the Third Concession of the said Township of North Gwillimbury, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a point in the western limit of the Keswick road, at the distance of Seven Hundred and Eighty-one Feet, six inches, southerly from where the said road is intersected by the travelled road, running westerly between lots thirteen and fourteen. Said point being the south-east angle of lands now owned by one, Annie Rye, as described in registered Deed Number 9032; thence westerly at about right angles to the western boundary of the Keswick road and along the southerly limit of said Annie Rye's lands, as described in said Deed, one hundred and fifty feet to the south-west angle of said Annie Rye's lands. Thence southerly and parallel with said Keswick road, fifty feet to a point. Thence north-easterly in a direct line to a point in the western boundary of the said Keswick road, distant fifty feet southerly from the place of beginning. Thence northerly along the western boundary of said Keswick road, fifty feet more or less, to the place of beginning.

There is said to be a dwelling house situate on the property.

Under a Writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Fourth Division Court of the County of York at the suit of E. Strasser, Plaintiff, and William M. Wade, Defendant.

On Monday, the tenth day of May, A.D. 1937, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the County Sheriff's Office in the Court House at the City of Toronto.

3rd February, 1937.

W. H. S. CANE,
c4w11 Sheriff, County of York.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Gwillimbury, will, on the Seventh day of June, 1937, in the TOWNSHIP HALL, BELHAVEN, in the Township of North Gwillimbury, at the hour of One O'Clock in the afternoon, (Standard Time), or so soon thereafter as is practicable, consider and if deemed advisable pass a By-law to stop up that part of the Highway along the former Toronto Transportation Commission right-of-way, beginning at the base line in Lot 23 Concession Two, in the Township of North Gwillimbury, and passing through Lots 24 and 25 in the Second Concession to the west boundary of the Varney Road in Lot 25, Concession Three, more particularly described in the Draft By-law, which may be examined at the Office of the Clerk, Keswick, and to authorize the sale of the above described lands.

All persons who deem that they may be prejudicially affected by the closing of the said Highway are hereby notified to be present in person or by their Solicitors or Agents at the said time and place, and they will be heard.

DATED the 14th day of April, A.D. 1937.

FRED L. VANNORMAN,
Clerk of the Township of North Gwillimbury,
Keswick, Ontario.

J. H. NAUGHTON, K.C.,
Solicitor for the Municipal Corporation of the Township of North Gwillimbury.

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Ontario Surplus Is \$9,000,000

Toronto, May 11.—The balance sheet of a business in which every person in Ontario is interested, noteworthy for a substantial surplus and an equally substantial debt reduction, is brought to the attention of the province with the publication of the government's financial statement for the fiscal year just closed (see page seven).

Subject to widespread favorable comment when Hon. Mitchell F. Hepburn, prime minister and provincial treasurer, presented the budget in the legislature, Ontario's showing of an estimated surplus of \$7,000,000 after paying a relief bill of \$12,500,000, was considered remarkable inasmuch as it represented the first balanced budget in Canada since the depression. The complete picture, as revealed in the figures of the published statement shows the actual surplus to be substantially larger than Mr. Hepburn indicated, namely, \$9,313,936; and this after taking care of a relief bill, not of \$12,500,000 only, but of \$13,270,000.

Attention is directed to the fact that the treasury bill debt has been lowered by \$12,000,000 and that the average rate of interest is half that standing on the books in July, 1934.

Another fact which is stressed is that 15-year money was obtained at home at the most favorable rate received by any province in a quarter of a century. Bonds with an average maturity of 16½ years, it is pointed out, were sold at a cost of about 3½ per cent., the two issues reflecting the high credit enjoyed by the province.

Many of the budget announcements have been enthusiastically acclaimed throughout the province by reason of the widespread benefits they represent. The highest commendation has been forthcoming from municipal councils as a result of the grant-in-aid of provincial subsidy to municipalities equal to one mill on the tax rate. At the same time, these councils have been enabled to reduce taxation as a result of the province having relieved them from contributing to the cost of old age pensions and mothers' allowances. The government's sympathetic attitude, so far as social legislation is concerned, is also reflected in the premier's statement endorsing the Dominion government's decision to grant pensions to the blind at the age of 40.

It is pointed out also that, in addition to abolishing the amusement tax, representing a sacrifice in revenue of \$1,000,000 a year, there have been other drastic cuts in taxation which have been greeted with enthusiasm on every hand. In the case of licenses for farmers' trucks and commercial vehicles, there was a reduction in cost of 25 per cent., which means a saving of over \$1,000,000 a year to some 80,000 of these commercial operators, and a corresponding loss in revenue to the government.

At the same time, there has been considerable rejoicing over the additional relief to rural municipalities in the reduction from 5 to 3 per cent. of the interest rate charged under the Municipal Drainage Act and the Tile Drainage Act, and the lowering of service charges for sewers to farmers.

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running with blood.

"But 100 years hence," Mr. Davis prophesied, "telling one or two other coronation happenings, 'the incident in connection with the coronation of 1937 will be the one of greatest interest, the occasion being the renunciation of the crown by a young man, turning his back on his people and country to follow his own desires.'"

"It was a disappointment to those who served overseas with the Canadian forces and knew him then. Unfortunately, in the intervening years, he missed what is required for true greatness, unselfish service to humanity."

"It was brought home to me last October. I was travelling from Norwich to Leicester. We decided to stop at a country inn for a few sandwiches. While the housewife was busying herself in the kitchen, the innkeeper entertained us. I learned then for the first time that we were on the boundary of the Sandringham estate. The story the innkeeper told of the gloom lying over the estate was almost unbelievable. The Sandringham estate was to be broken up. Those whose families had lived there for generations were to look for work elsewhere."

"Stopping at that same inn last February, I learned that immediately the present king took charge, the Sandringham estate was to be moved to the condition of his father's time in every detail."

"We today are pledging ourselves to a young man who is, I think, the personification of an English gentleman, a man who puts duty first."

Mr. Davis praised the king's Scottish wife and the home life of the royal family. "There are none of us but would be delighted to spend an hour or two with them," he said.

"We are pledging ourselves to this king who so properly deserves our support," Mr. Davis said.

Canadians were doubly fortunate to have the advantages of British institutions and to be away from the old land's danger of foreign attacks. Mr. Davis said, telling of bomb shelters he had seen being constructed in Britain, gas-masks being stored by the thousands, "for a situation which everybody believes may be stayed off for a year or two, but may through unexpected happenings break overnight."

"We are fortunate to be able to go to our beds and know that our homes will not be bombed overnight," Mr. Davis said.

For the rest of the coronation year Mr. Davis asked that his hearers "think good thoughts," and referred to the 131st psalm: "His truth shall be our shield and buckler."

"It is just as easy to tune into that source of strength as to tune into CFRB," Mr. Davis said. "Before the end of the year, too, spend a moment or two in front of this memorial, and think of the young men who laid down their lives. May we ever keep their green in memory."

In opening the service Mayor Dr. S. J. Boyd, the chairman, expressed appreciation of the way in which citizens had decorated their homes and places of business.

The service was greatly enhanced by the choir of school boys and girls, who had been trained by Mrs. M. B. Seldon. The service included a hymn written by Rev. Arthur J. Taylor. The service was participated in by Mr. Patstone, Rev. J. H. Wells, Rev. Dr. W. S. Alexander, Rev. Dr. D. McIntyre and Adjutant A. D. MacFavish.

Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle attended with the separate school children. Before the service the Newmarket Veterans laid a wreath on the memorial and Mrs. S. J. Boyd laid a wreath on behalf of the town.

The parade from the north end of the town, along flag-decorated Main St., was memorable. The Veterans, both Aurora and Newmarket, from the Citizens' Band, the R. S. A. Bugle Band, and the school children, many of them dressed in coronation colors, and all wearing their coronation participated in the parade.

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"The king and queen being crowned are young people," Dr. Boyd said. "They will be your king and queen for many years to come."

"You are an audience of young people trained in mind and body. You are the bulwark of the British nations. We expect you to leave the world better than you find it. On the other hand, there are new Canadians who take a different slant. There are men, whose gospel it is to tear apart, knock down, and to destroy authority and public institutions. We count on educated Canadians to counteract them."

PARTY ACTION

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John McAllister, R. R. 3, King. Committees are: membership and finance, L. E. Ewart, Newmarket; R. C. Ewart, Newmarket; education and publicity, Mrs. Chas. Billsborough, Aurora; legislation and law enforcement, Geo. Williams, Newmarket.

Conveners of municipalities are as follows: King, P. J. Forster, King, R. R. 2; Woodbridge, Mrs. Berry; Stouffville, Rev. Herb. Lee; Vaughan, J. Rose, Maple; Whitechurch, Charles Atkinson, Stouffville; Newmarket, Fraser Geo. Cornley; Markham, F. A. S. Geo. Cornley; Newmarket, Geo. Wark; Aurora, W. J. Wilson; Richmond Hill, Dr. J. P. Byssell; Rev. J. D. Cunningham; Sutton, Dr. Harold Leary; Sutton West, North Gwillimbury, Robt. Hamilton, Roche's Point; East Gwillimbury, Wm. Holborne, Ravenshoe; North York township, Rev. A. H. Halbert, Newtonbrook, to secure conveners; Georgina, Ed. Corner, Virginia.

FLAG-WAVING

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There is a real danger that all of us may lose the real significance of the occasion in an orgy of sentiment under the guise of patriotism. What is the real meaning of the coronation ceremony to us?

"In the first place the service is one of traditional form. It recalls the whole history of our race. No matter how progressive or forward-looking one may be, it should be recognized that there can be no healthy growth that does not value the contribution of past ages. The coronation ceremony recalls our history to us."

"The historic forms of the service, however," Mr. McCulley said, "are no mere relic of a dead past, they have been adapted, as so many other British institutions have been adapted, to meet the new conditions of a new day. For instance: this is the first occasion when a king has actually been crowned as the king of Canada and the other self-governing dominions as well as of Great Britain."

"In no other European country could there take place a ceremony such as that which will occur in London tomorrow. In most of them it would be an opportunity for a display purely military in character. In this ceremony representatives of all people gather and representatives of the professional and modern professions and of all walks of life will participate. School boys of Westminster School are the ones who are privileged to lead the people in the acclamation of the new sovereign in the age-hallowed words, 'God Save the King.'"

"In the course of the ceremony the King pledges himself to the service of his people. This recalls to our minds the fact that all leadership must give itself in service. He that would be greatest among you must be the servant of all."

"There is at the present time a tendency to disparage not only

AURORA MAYOR CONGRATULATED

Mayor Dr. C. R. Boulding was congratulated by the council on the splendid showing made by his wife-haired fox terrier, Champion Benholm Ballet Girl, adjudged best dog in the Toronto Ladies' Kennel Club show.

A delegation from the board of trade visited the meeting of the Aurora council on Monday of last week to inquire about the situation concerning the Peterboro-Orangeville highway.

The Salvation Army were granted permission to hold a tag day on May 22.

R. Smith and S. Cook asked for more consideration in the matter of fuel for those on relief. It was agreed, however, that no action would be taken other than that previously decided upon by the committee.

The acting fire chief, medical officer, and Mr. Dunham, inspector, were asked to make the regular spring-time inspection of properties for fire hazard and sanitary condition.

A letter was read from the library board, embodying a complaint regarding the caretaking of the library, and asking that the floor be washed and the woodwork cleaned. It was decided that, owing to the complaints which have been received by the council in respect to the caretaking of the public buildings, that tenders for this work would be called for.

A motion was carried to procure new uniforms for the police department at the lowest cost possible.

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"Let us, therefore, at this time," the headmaster suggested, "consecrate ourselves anew to the finest ideals for which our nation stands, and prepare ourselves to take our part in the advancement of civilization in partnership with all those people of diverse races, creeds and languages, who at this time acknowledge the kingship of him who is our rightful sovereign lord."

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The Treasury Department of the PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Announces the Results of the "Pay-As-You-Go Policy" for the
Fiscal Year, April 1, 1936 to March 31, 1937

Statement of Ordinary Revenue and Expenditure for the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 1937

NET ORDINARY REVENUE	
Department	Amount
Agriculture	\$ 807.65
Attorney-General	1,290,603.33
Education	1,803.92
Game and Fisheries	782,217.63
Health	38,485.95
Highways—	
(a) Signs, Pumps, Garages, etc.....	\$ 298,076.18
(b) Gasoline Tax (less refunds).....	15,761,876.97
(c) Motor Vehicles	10,916,491.08
Insurance	26,976,444.23
Labour	237,840.86
Lands and Forests.....	7,316.17
Legislation	2,974,907.54
Mines	6,927.07
Prime Minister	2,110,581.32
Provincial Secretary	22,632.20
Provincial Treasurer	680,750.23
Provincial Treasurer—(including Succession Duties Collected, \$15,991,350.80).....	45,344,211.91
Public Works	7,283.34
Stationery Account—(Excess of Distribution over Purchases).....	5,626.60

\$80,488,439.95

NET ORDINARY EXPENDITURE	
Department	Amount
Agriculture	\$ 1,546,471.94
Attorney-General	2,290,164.08
Education	10,001,950.31
Game and Fisheries	446,131.57
Health	6,128,023.08
Highways	4,931,306.65
Insurance	65,247.87
Labour	270,973.87
Lands and Forests.....	1,890,019.83
Legislation	270,314.38
Lieutenant-Governor	12,459.73
Mines	319,660.58
Municipal Affairs.....	63,053.57
Northern Development.....	1,407,475.63
Prime Minister	153,896.20
Provincial Auditor	112,577.29
Provincial Secretary	863,237.41
Provincial Treasurer	962,164.58
Public Welfare	5,005,388.34
Public Works	565,698.28
Miscellaneous—Including Workmen's Compensation Board— (Payment to Board, \$47,458.15).....	54,238.58
Public Debt—Interest, Exchange, etc.....	\$37,360,453.77
Unemployment Direct Relief and Administration thereof.....	20,543,990.35
	\$57,904,444.12
	13,270,057.29
	\$71,174,501.41

RECAPITULATION Ordinary Revenue and Expenditure

Ordinary Net Revenue as above.....	\$80,488,439.95
Ordinary Net Expenditure as above (before providing for Unemployment Direct Relief).....	57,904,444.12
Surplus—(before providing for Unemployment Direct Relief).....	\$22,583,995.83
Less—Unemployment Direct Relief and Administration thereof.....	13,270,057.29
Surplus for the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 1937.....	\$ 9,313,938.54

THE DEBT POSITION OF THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO As at the close of the fiscal year ended March 31, 1937

GROSS DEBT

As at March 31, 1936.....	\$689,558,513.76
As at March 31, 1937.....	656,460,348.37
Reduction in Gross Debt for the Year.....	\$33,098,165.39

DEBENTURE DEBT (LESS SINKING FUNDS)

As at March 31, 1936.....	\$594,112,954.50
As at March 31, 1937.....	567,973,130.86
Reduction in Debenture Debt for the Year.....	\$ 26,139,823.64

TREASURY BILLS OUTSTANDING

As at March 31, 1936.....	\$50,000,000.00
As at March 31, 1937.....	38,000,000.00
Reduction in Treasury Bills for the Year.....	\$12,000,000.00

CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT

E. P. Mann
Provincial Auditor

In pursuance of a promise made during the Third Session of the Nineteenth Legislature of the Province of Ontario, I take this opportunity of publishing, for the information of the citizens of Ontario, the above financial report, together with this announcement as to the plans of the Government for passing on to the people certain benefits made available by reason of the surplus of \$9,313,938.54, realized last year;—

MUNICIPAL DRAINAGE AID AND TILE DRAINAGE DEBENTURES

A reduction in interest on Municipal Drainage Debentures and Tile Drainage Debentures effective April 1, 1937, from 5 per centum to 4 per centum.

PASSENGER MOTOR CAR LICENSE FEES

A substantial reduction in passenger motor car license fees will be announced before October 15 next.

LICENSE FEES ON COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

Effective on November 1, 1937, when the 1938 permits will be available, there will be a reduction of 25 per cent. in the fees to be charged for the registration of all farm trucks and all other commercial motor vehicles and commercial trailers.

The approximate annual saving will be \$1,000,000.00 to the operators of commercial vehicles.

PROVINCIAL SUBSIDY

The Provincial Government will pay, by way of a grant, to every city, town, village and township of the Province a sum representing the equivalent of one mill on the dollar of their respective assessments for general municipal purposes. This grant is made unconditionally but in the expectation and with the intent that the amount shall be passed on to the taxpayers of every community by a reduction of one mill in the general municipal tax rate. This subsidy will amount, in the aggregate, to the sum of approximately \$3,000,000.

ROAD SUBSIDIES TO TOWNSHIPS

The 313 Townships which have in the past received subsidies of less than 50 per cent. will enjoy an increase to 50 per cent. The annual benefit to the 313 Townships will be approximately — \$300,000.00.

OLD AGE PENSIONS AND MOTHERS' ALLOWANCES

To further take the burden off real estate, the Provincial Government will assume the municipalities' share of Old Age Pensions and Mothers' Allowances.

This will enable the municipal councils to reduce their taxation by approximately \$3,500,000.00 per annum.

PENSIONS FOR THE BLIND

The Province will assume the municipalities' share of the cost of this social legislation. It is estimated that the municipalities will therefore save approximately \$100,000.00 per annum.

AMUSEMENTS TAX

Effective June 1, 1937, the Amusements Tax will be totally abolished. As over 80 per cent. of the amusements tax is collected from admissions of 25 cents or under, the benefit, largely to citizens of lesser means, will amount to \$1,500,000.00 for the year 1937.

W. A. R. Thompson
Prime Minister and Provincial
Treasurer.

EIGHT

Mount Albert

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wagg, Master Jimmie Wagg, and Mr. and Mrs. Rundle of Picton were guests with friends in town on Sunday.

Mr. Jack Crozier of Brantford was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tilly on the weekend. Mrs. Leslie Stiver of Ottawa is at the home of her sister, Mrs. P. E. Rowan, mother, Mrs. Ramsden, of her mother, Mrs. Haigh of Elgin, Man.

Mr. Eban, is in town with his brother, Mr. Ed. Haigh. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cook and daughter Eldrid of Toronto, and Miss Marion Ross were at the home of Mrs. H. Ross on Sunday. Mrs. Milt Arnold of Uxbridge visited Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Arnold on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morton and son Bill were in Toronto on Sunday. Mrs. Morton's mother, Mrs. Ross, has been ill the past few weeks.

Mr. Ben Cook while working around his home on Saturday hurt his back and he will be laid up for some time in bed.

Mr. Ivan Coomer has moved into W. H. Barker's house on the back street.

Mr. Anthony Dike is moving into the cottage at the corner of King St.

Mrs. Rennie, Sr., has moved to Guelph, where she will make her home in the future.

Miss Ruth Davidson of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Terry of Hamilton were guests at the home of C. W. Davidson on the weekend.

The coronation service held in the United church was one that will long be remembered by the large congregation attending. The music by the choir and school children was fitting to the occasion, as was the splendid sermon by Dr. Duncan. The church was suitably decorated with flags, mottoes, etc., which added very much to the occasion. The mothers' day service in the Sunday-school before church was also well attended, and at the close of this a baptismal service was held. Several children were baptized.

ROCHE'S POINT CELEBRATE BY SPORTS, RACES

Roches Point is getting ready for the coronation with extra flags, lights and other outside decorations.

A sports day has been arranged for the school children, starting at 2 p.m., I.S.T. at S.S. No. 6. There will be games, races and sports in general, with prizes for the lucky ones. Refreshments will be served by the parents. Everybody will be welcomed. All are urged to come and make it a happy day for the children.

A euche was held to provide funds for an evening entertainment at the hall. There will be a band and fireworks on the beach, and then a dance and refreshments at the hall. Everyone will be made welcome.

Brownies entertain On Saturday afternoon the Brownie Pack had their enrolment service and were "at home" to their mothers and visitors. Tea was served and a very nice afternoon spent.

Personals Mr. and Mrs. Ferris spent Tuesday at their summer cottage, getting ready for summer.

Miss E. Drake and Miss E. Newton spent Sunday with the Misses Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Watt spent the weekend with Mrs. Walinck.

Mrs. J. R. Hamilton visited her mother, Mrs. McGeachie, this week.

Miss Frances Bains was home this weekend. Mrs. Thompson and Miss Violet Thompson are at "Green Gables" for a few days.

Maple Hill

Mr. John Marritt is leaving this week for Kapuskasing, where he has a position on the government 900-acre experimental farm, the most northerly experimental station in Canada.

Miss Phyllis Marritt, of the H.S.C., Toronto, was visiting her home on Sunday.

Mr. D. Love, who is still working in the city, was home over the weekend. His sons, Bruce and Malcolm, are running the farm.

Mrs. H. Knights went to Toronto on Sunday with Mr. Wm. Hill, Queensville. Mr. Hill's father died suddenly last week.

He was Mrs. Knights' uncle. Sympathy is extended to those bereaved.

The wild flowers of the woods are beautiful just now. The white trillium, yellow adder's tongue and Bleeding Heart are at their best, and many happy hours are spent gathering them.

The regular monthly meeting of the Dorcas society will be held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Armstrong next Wednesday.

About 27 went by truck and some in cars to hold a meeting with the Vivian Y. P. S. All report a pleasant and profitable evening. The Y. P. S. this week is under the leadership of Miss Ethel Gordon, missionary convener.

Because of the wet weather, Arbor day was postponed at Jersey school until later.

A coronation program was presented by the children of Jersey school last Tuesday when the parents attended.

Some of the farmers are through seeding in this vicinity, but the majority still have several acres to put in.

The Sunday service at Maple Hill is at 7.30 p.m., preceded by a prayer meeting at 7 p.m. The Sunday-school meets at 10.45 a.m., with classes for all ages. Several visitors have been present lately, and all are cordially welcomed to all services of the church.

You will be pleasantly surprised at the low cost of Era printing.

QUEENSVILLE H. MARTIN TOPS QUEEN'S GRADS

Congratulations are in order for Harry Martin, a former member of Queensville Y. P. U., now honorary president of the union, who headed the graduating class at Queen's University.

Successful in obtaining his B.A., Harry has been stationed in the United church at Sharbot Lake for the summer. Officials at Queen's are anxious that he try for his M.A. next term. The community is proud of Harry and wishes him every success. Mrs. M. Whittaker, his grandmother, made the trip to Kingston to attend the graduation exercises.

Coronation Services Impress The coronation service held on Sunday in the United church was very impressive. Rev. Mr. Madden gave a splendid talk on the history and the King George VI. The choir sang the anthem, "A Coronation Ode," by Healy Willan.

Mothers' Day Service Mothers' Day was recognized in the Sunday-school on Sunday morning with a good attendance present. A splendid service was given, including a short drama by five of the junior members of the school.

Rev. Dr. K. Beaton Speaks Rev. Dr. Kenneth Beaton of Toronto, secretary of home missions and a former missionary in China, gave a splendid talk at Y. P. U. last Sunday night, when over 50 young people were present. Dr. Beaton also illustrated several interesting slides of the missionary work being carried on in western Canada.

Next Sunday evening a special coronation service will be held, to which everyone is invited.

Personals Mrs. Gordon Kowe and daughter Anne are visiting this week in Toronto.

Misses Audrey Pearson and Frances Cooke spent Saturday in the city.

The Draycott family spent the weekend at their summer home here.

Miss Alma Deane is out and around again after her illness.

Mrs. J. S. Huntley and son Harold of Orton spent a few days this week in the village.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved friends and relatives of the late Wm. Hill, who died at his home in Toronto. The funeral was held from Queensville United church on Monday.

Sympathy is extended to the bereaved friends and relatives of Mrs. Wm. Foster, nee Bernice Pegg, who died at her home in Newmarket, in her 22nd year.

MOUNT PLEASANT
THREE PEGS TO
VISIT BELHAVEN

The weather is somewhat cooler than a week ago, when it was thought summer was here in earnest.

There were fewer at church on Sunday as some are under quarantine with mumps.

Mothers' Day was held on Sunday under the leadership of Rev. Mr. Ferguson, of Port Perry, who has been here the last two Sundays and is expected to remain on the circuit. The special music by the choir was much appreciated.

On May 19 a play entitled "The Three Pegs" will be given in the Belhaven community hall by Mrs. Wm. Vase's Bible class of Keswick, under the auspices of the Mount Pleasant Ladies' Aid. This play comes highly recommended, and all are asked to keep this date in mind.

Miss Iva Stiles, R.N., is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Horner spent Sunday with Mr. Robert Stiles.

Mrs. Robt. Stiles has not been very well all winter, but it is hoped she will soon be better.

Mrs. Stuart White is out again. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moulds of Toronto visited Mr. George Moulds on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moulds returned to the city on Sunday with their son Clarence.

Rev. Mr. Ferguson had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stiles and family and Mrs. E. Yorkie and Claude visited Mr. Bernard Davidson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Moorby and James Ash of Gormley and Miss Iva Crawford of Baldwin were at Mr. Bernard Davidson's home last Sunday.

Those who have radios enjoyed the coronation services on Sunday. Long live the King.

BOXES FOLLOW
CORONATION THEME
AT JUNIOR SOCIAL

Coronation boxes made their appearance at the box social held by the Y. P. S. Bank Junior Farmers and Junior Institute in Sharon community hall on Monday evening. About 60 young people were present to enjoy the excellent social evening.

A number of the boxes were decorated in the coronation colors and carried pictures of the king and queen. Two spectacular boxes were crown-decked. Mary Rose brought one with a gold crown on top of a box decorated in the coronation colors, and Grace Blizard had a box in the shape of a crown in silver with strips of the material to give an accurate representation of the familiar crown.

Norma Wray's box went for the highest price to Jim Faris and won the prize. This box was also in the coronation theme.

Dancing concluded the evening during which outdoor summer meetings were planned.

KESWICK MOTHERS FORM CHURCH CHOIR

The services on Sunday were all well attended and very much enjoyed. Commencing in the Sunday-school at 10 a.m., Mothers' Day was observed there with an appropriate service under the leadership of the superintendent, Frank Marritt.

At the regular hour, Rev. Mr. Fockler preached on the theme of "Mothers' Day."

A choir composed of mothers presented music suitable for the day. Many lovely flowers added beautifully to the impressive service.

The coronation service in the evening was also very fine. The flag made a suitable background. The sermon was of a high order. Special music was rendered by the choir, and solos were sung by Miss Eva Gilroy and Mr. George Alridge.

To Present Play Wednesday The play "Three Pegs," will be presented by the Young People's Bible class on Wednesday evening at Belhaven hall under the auspices of Mount Pleasant church.

W. A. Hears Guest Speakers The W. A. meeting held last Thursday afternoon was very interesting, and in spite of the disagreeable weather a large number attended. Mrs. Waldon, president of the W. A., was assisted by Mrs. Baines, Mrs. Davidson and Mrs. Perry Winch. Mrs. Charles Willoughby was pianist.

Mrs. Waldon introduced both guest speakers, Mrs. Barron, president of Toronto Centre Presbyterian W. A., and Mrs. Andrews of Aurora, 4th vice-president of the W. A.

Both ladies gave fine addresses, which were greatly enjoyed. Rev. Mr. Fockler thanked the guests and voiced his appreciation of the valuable work done by the W. A.

Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Pedlar and Mrs. Perry Winch were in charge of the supper which was served at 6 p.m. Others helped serve the delicious meal. The table had a coronation color-scheme, which made the dining-room a very colorful setting for the meal.

The Mission Band later presented a much enjoyed program. Mrs. Waldon thanked all the ladies for the splendid effort to make the bazaar this summer a success. They have all worked hard in a variety of ways during the past winter and Mrs. Waldon appreciates it greatly.

Many young people were home on Sunday to honor their mothers.

Mr. Art Marritt went to Oshawa, with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Marritt, to visit his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Vale went to Sudbury to visit the latter's mother.

Mrs. A. Gilroy and Miss Eva Gilroy are home again, but the former is not at all well.

Mrs. John Warriner is quite ill. It is hoped these ladies, and the rest of the sick, will soon be restored to good health.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Rye and family were the guests of Mrs. Walter Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Draper and Earl are welcomed to the village.

Mr. Ralph Sink is sporting a new car.

Mr. Ralph Henry has found two nests of milk-snakes, most of them about five feet long. He regrets that he did not have a picture of them.

Mrs. McGenery has her lovely new booth opened for business. Everyone was stunned to hear of the death of Mrs. MacAlpine. Deepest sympathy is extended to her husband, her son, Horace, and daughter, Beth.

Holt

Mr. William Mitchell spent last Wednesday in Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Rose and Mrs. Walter Couch spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carson of King.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rutledge and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gibney, of Newmarket, called on Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rutledge on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Brubacher and baby spent the weekend in Toronto.

Miss Laurine Watts visited Miss Elda Stickwood on Saturday. Miss Bessie Card of Toronto and Mr. Kenneth Harnden of Belhaven were guests of Rev. and Mrs. B. Babcock on Sunday.

Misses Alice and Leone Babcock spent the weekend at the home of their parents.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Wm. Foster, nee Marjorie Bernice Pegg, of Newmarket. Deepest sympathy is extended to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Smith spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rye.

Mr. Walter Couch went to Toronto on Sunday to visit his mother, who is seriously ill in the hospital.

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NORTH GWILLIMBURY
COUNCIL PAYS
ACCOUNTS FOR APRIL

The North Gwillimbury council met at Belhaven on Monday of last week. The hydro contract of Dorothy Holden was cancelled and Ross A. McMillan was instructed to pay the back hydro charges on her property. Fred Mahoney's contract was also cancelled as he is taking out a similar contract with E. A. S. Gwillimbury.

The council accepted \$5.68 from Ralph E. Brown in payment of his taxes for 1936.

The following accounts were paid: F. VanNorman, telephone calls, \$12.28; H. Willoughby, assessor, \$240; A. R. Croucher, constable duties and telephone, \$48.90; road voucher No. 5, \$1.17; York County hospital, \$172.48; York County hospital, \$172.48; James Stevenson, stamps, \$3; April relief account, \$345.81.

ELMHURST BEACH
COTTAGERS GET
BACK TO BEACH

Many welcome summer residents were visiting in the vicinity over the weekend.

Many young boys and girls who are in Toronto spent the weekend with their parents and the community is always pleased to see them come again.

The following were weekend visitors at their summer homes: Misses Florence and Marjorie Waldon, Miss Lillian Sedore, Lorne Hodgins, and Miss Beatrice Hayes.

Mrs. Obee Peters was visited by her brother and his wife, and also her father, Mr. Lockie, and her sister, Miss Lockie, Toronto.

Miss Alice Terry of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pollock.

Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Pollock of Toronto visited his brother, L. Pollock.

Mrs. Selby Sedore is improving in health.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Tillet visited Mr. and Mrs. Selby Sedore on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Raddon and family have moved to Peterboro, where they have purchased a home.

Lloyd Pollock has received word from W. A. Dryden, president of the Royal Winter Fair, to attend a meeting to make final arrangements for the fox show to be held at the Royal Winter Fair.

EAST GWILLIMBURY
COUNCIL WANTS
TRAFFIC RULE

The court of revision will be held on June 26 it was decided at the East Gwillimbury council meeting in Sharon hall on Saturday.

All employees of the township who are working on the roads will be insured against accident, it was decided. The clerk was authorized to apply to the department of highways for permission to regulate the traffic through police villages.

The following miscellaneous accounts were ordered paid: E. Straker, ambulance, \$15; Mrs. L. Rogers, \$34.10; E. R. Fry, 60 cents; department of health, insulin, \$3.50; York County treasurer, hospital, \$135.55; Anthony Wolfe, \$4.80; W. M. Cockburn, \$10.90; Sick Children's Hospital, \$1; Jos. Jardine, sanitary inspector, \$41.69; Dr. H. E. Johnson, \$28; W. Hill, constable, salary, \$102; J. L. Smith, salary, \$80; H. Hulise, insurance, \$191.18; Miss Olive Tinsdale, \$4.50.

The following relief accounts were passed for payment: Ken Ross, \$23.25; D. Davis, \$7; R. Sedore, \$10; G. P. Goodwin, \$12; W. H. Eves, \$18.75; W. A. Brunton, \$17.45; W. A. Burkholder, \$30.85; J. Rowe & Son, \$36.46; E. R. Fry, \$6; Mrs. Fred Rose, \$1.52; H. Leadbetter, \$10; H. Gilroy, \$10.72; J. O. Little, \$12.05; Dominion Stores, \$7; Bradford Bargain House, \$13; E. G. Thorpe, \$11.76; Green Front Store, \$13.63; M. D. Rowland, \$5; S. R. Goodwin, \$33.90; S. C. Sheppard, \$83; Hillsdale Dairy, \$4.50.

The following road accounts were paid: week of April 17, \$272.70; Apr. 24, \$116.30; May 1, \$215.20; May 8, \$225.80; new culverts, \$704.26; repairs, \$8.45; grading, \$107.95; wire fence bonus, \$29.50; culvert repairs, \$4.25; dragging, \$40.55; resurfacing, \$120; snow, \$1.40; stamps, \$8.80; supervision, \$70.

The council will meet again at 10 a.m. on June 12.

Bethel

Although some are still among the shut-ins there was a good sized congregation on Sunday morning. Friends of Mrs. Perry Graves miss her presence as she has been in poor health for a few weeks. The minister of this church, Rev. T. V. Hart, returned to take special services on Sunday at King. Mr. Hart is feeling much better after his operation for adenoids and tonsils.

The singing by the choir at Bethel on Sunday morning was much enjoyed. The choir is gaining in numbers. The sermon by Mr. Butler was very fine and much appreciated by the congregation.

Evening services at Egypt are improving. The Y. P. S. from this appointment were invited to attend Ravenshoe Y. P. S.

There are quite a number of visitors in the neighborhood this week.

The cool change and frequent showers have made seeding slow. Leaves are coming out nicely.

Next Sunday at 10 a.m. at Bethel a Mothers' Day service will be held; sermon at 11 a.m.

SUTTON WEST W.M.S. OBTAINS GUEST SPEAKER

The W. M. S. held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. A. E. Shier on Thursday afternoon. Following the W. M. S. meeting, the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held.

Two special services were held last Sunday morning. In the morning the service was based on Mothers' Day.

In the evening, a coronation service was held, special leaflets being used which were provided by the United church of Canada.

The Young People's class of the United church Sunday-school enjoyed a hike and weiner roast on Monday evening.

Next Sunday morning, the service will be in charge of the Women's Missionary Society. The guest speaker will be Rev. T. V. Hart, who is so well known here.

Personals Mrs. Jas. Cockburn is visiting her daughter, Evelyn, in Brantford.

Miss Mildred White of Chatham is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. B. Shillington.

Miss Marj. Cronsberry, of Toronto, spent the weekend in town.

Miss Audrey Graham of Toronto visited her parents last weekend.

Misses Hazel and Doris McDonald of Toronto spent the weekend at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Weddel of Newmarket visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Ward, on Sunday.

Mr. Harry Milroy of Highland Creek was in town during the weekend.

Miss Pearl Culverwell spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Pipher of Newmarket visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Sellers, Jackson's Point, last weekend.

Congratulations are offered to Mr. and Mrs. Jim McKelvey on the gift of a daughter, born last Saturday.

Snowball

SNOWBALL W. I. HEARS
PROVINCIAL PRESIDENT
AT TEMPERANCEVILLE

Those who attended the meeting held by the Women's Institute in the United church at Temperanceville on Friday of last week were well repaid. A large number of representatives from Lasky and Snowball joined with the Temperanceville branch. Mrs. Thompson presided.

Mrs. R. S. Colloton of Lorne Park, president of the W. I. provincial board, was the guest speaker. The first part of her address was devoted to clearing many vexed questions regarding parliamentary procedure and was most helpful.

The latter part of the address concerned the importance of the work of the district and the duties of district representatives.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was spent and refreshments were served. Grateful appreciation was expressed to Mrs. R. B. Colloton for her very helpful and interesting address.

The W. M. S. and W. A. will meet at the home of Mrs. C. Mitchell, on Thursday, May 13, instead of the usual day, which is coronation day.

Mrs. Ivy Yates is visiting with Mrs. T. K. Ferguson.

Mrs. H. C. Webb, who has been under the doctor's care for some time, is improving.

CHURCH TO BE

Continued from page one George D. Wark and Henry Sennett for their services in soliciting contributions in Newmarket.

Members of the church are filled with enthusiasm for the undertaking. The committee includes G. B. Thompson, H. W. Tomes, Wesley McCallum, John Bate, Erwin Tate, Percy Thompson, Fred Rose, Frank Stephenson, and George Shields, and the members of the ladies' aid, including Mrs. Jessie Pegg, the president, Mrs. John Cook, vice-president, Mrs. Percy Thompson, secretary, and Mrs. G. R. Tate, treasurer.

It is a coincidence that Christ Anglican church was similarly restored a year ago.

H. BABB VOICES

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this section in the past ten years. It has no culverts in it."

Mr. Babb has property adjoining the right of way in this section and will protest the sale on the grounds that it would be a detriment to his property.

"I doubt if the council has authority to sell the land without the consent of the county council," he stated.

Mr. Babb believes that the right of way may be used as a supplement to the Lake Shore road, to relieve it of truck traffic and of general traffic in the spring, when such traffic might harm the surface. If this were the case, he pointed out, then selling a portion of the right of way might soon become an expensive bit of business for the council.

"They would have to find an entrance from the right of way to the paved road," he said. "They would have to buy a portion of Stewart and Mathew Arnold's property. The present right of way is almost entirely a straight line now, but the sale of a portion of it would make two dangerous corners, necessitate widening and added culverts. It is doubtful if the government would consider a road along the right of way, if the expense made necessary by these changes had to be considered."

"If the council was as anxious to get the hydro poles moved off the right of way and placed over next to the fence, as they are to dispose of the township's right of way, we would be getting somewhere," he said.

"The road could then be gradually graded to make a wider road so that two autos could pass on the right of way. The road could be used for extra heavy traffic by team or power motor where it is difficult to climb the

Cole hill," Mr. Babb concluded.

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